

## Vacancy Notice

Within the Center for Behavioral Brain Sciences the Faculty of Natural Sciences of the Otto-von-Guericke University of Magdeburg is offering a

### **W2 professorship in the Cognitive Neurosciences of Decision Making (Heisenberg Professorship)**

to begin at the next possible date. This offer is subject to the approval of the German Research Foundation (DFG)

The Center for Behavioral Brain Sciences (CBBS) is jointly supported by the Otto-von-Guericke University of Magdeburg (OVGU) and the Leibniz Institute for Neurobiology (LIN). It currently unites more than 100 neuroscientists from seven faculties of the OVGU, the Leibniz Institute for Neurobiology (LIN), and the German Center for Neurodegenerative Diseases (DZNE) and serves to promote interdisciplinary research and the training of excellent young scientists in the fields of experimental and clinical neuroscience.

Applicants are expected to have an internationally recognized research program with a focus on the Cognitive Neurosciences of Decision Making, documented through relevant publications and the successful acquisition of competitive third-party funding. The research program should closely align with the neuroscientific research priorities of the University. For the latter, substantial cooperation with the existing neuroscience-oriented research networks of the University (DFG Collaborative Research Center 779 – Neurobiology of Motivated Behavior, CBBS) is expected. Furthermore, commitment to teaching in neuroscience-oriented bachelor and master programs is sought.

This invitation to tender takes place within the framework of the Heisenberg program of the German Research Foundation (DFG). Prerequisites for the appointment are a habilitation or comparable achievements according to § 35 (2, 3) HSG-LSA as well as a positive assessment of the candidate by the DFG (granting a Heisenberg professorship).

For further details regarding this job offer, please contact the Dean of the Faculty of Natural Sciences at Otto-von-Guericke University, Prof. Dr. Oliver Speck, by phone at 0049 391/6117-113 or by email at [oliver.speck@ovgu.de](mailto:oliver.speck@ovgu.de).

Applications from disabled persons will be given priority in the case of equal suitability, ability and professional expertise. The Otto von Guericke University aims to increase the proportion of women researchers within the university and specifically encourages women to apply.



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Please mail your application in a single pdf (CV, list of publications, teaching evaluation, and information about previous activities) by July 19<sup>th</sup>, 2018 to:



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